**Homework Week 4 Term 1 2013**

**Due Thursday 28th February 2013**

**Reading**

You must read for 15 – 20 minutes each night and record this on your reading sheet at the back of your homework book. This needs to be signed each time you read. We expect 10 reading entries during for this homework. You should have an adult listen to you read once a week if you are an independent reader and more regularly if you are not.

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**Part One**

Investigate a group of people who have played an important part in the economic or social development of Australia, for example the cattle industry, the Snowy Mountains Scheme, the pearling industry. Write a paragraph about what they did and why it is an important part of Australia’s history.

**Part Two**

Use the internet to research 5 notable individuals from Australia. Write the name of the person and a sentence about why they are famous. You will need to include one person from each of the following categories, the arts, science, sport, education and politics.

Hint: The Australian Living Treasures list (found online) may help to complete this task.

**Maths**

Each fortnight we will ask you to practice 2 of the times tables. Write out the 3 and 6 times tables twice each in your book. You should draw columns for them.

Solve the following problems in your book.

1. Paul went to the store 19 times last month. He buys 5 pencils each time he goes to the store. How many pencils did Paul buy last month?
2. Each egg costs $75.00. How much do 3 eggs cost?
3. Each child has 3 pencils. If there are 78 children, how many pencils are there in total?
4. There are 33 erasers in each box. How many erasers are in 5 boxes?
5. Linda has 62 boxes of tickets. Each box holds 6 tickets. How many tickets does Linda have?